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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
(Case No. 00-713-i8)

In re Application of:)
Mirkin, et al.) Examiner: Jezia Riley
Serial No. 09/974,007)
Filed: October 10, 2001) Group Art Unit: 1637
For: Nanoparticles Having) Confirmation No.: 8209
Oligonucleotides Attached Thereto)
and Uses Therefor)

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

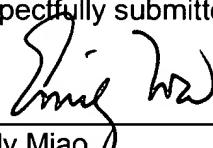
Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

- In regard to the above identified application,
1. We are transmitting herewith the attached:
 - a) Response to Office Action dated February 10, 2006;
 - b) Replacement Figures 1-41 (47 sheets);
 - c) Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 CFR 1.136(a) (three months); and
 - d) Return Receipt Postcard.
 2. With respect to fees:
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Respectfully submitted,

Date: Aug. 10, 2006


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